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Applicant : Brubaker et al.  
Application No. : 10/023,391  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.121**

Commissioner of Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This communication is filed in response to the Office Action dated April 14, 2003, and is accompanied by a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.